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TO-DAY'S CABLES.

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LATEST IRISH FERMENT.

TROUBLE NOT FINISHED.

SPECIALS AND SOLDIERS KIDNAPPED.

LONDON, February 9.

The day has passed without news of further happenings in Ulster, either raids or reprisals. The Northern Government is actively taking measures for self-defence. Five thousand armed special constables are holding the frontier and repairing roads or busy restoring the telegraphs in Belfast and Enniskillen which the raiders cut last night. This may explain the dearth of news for that the trouble is not finished appeared from a message received in the evening that five special constables and four British soldiers were kidnapped at Monaghan to-day by the Irish Republican Army.

THREE MEN.

LONDON, February 9. The condemned men in Derry Jail whose execution, fixed for to-day, precipitated, according to Mr. Michael Collins, the Sinn Fein raids into Ulster, are three men, including a warden, concerned in the attempted escape of Sinn Fein prisoners from that jail early in December when the warden was murdered and the police beaten bound and chloroformed. A reprieve was officially announced in Ireland on Tuesday evening. One sentence was commuted to penal servitude for life and the others to fifteen years' penal servitude. News of the reprieve was apparently not known when the raids were carried out.

PETROGRAD-PEKING TELEGRAPH.

SERVICE PARTLY RESTORED.

REVAL, February 9. The Great Northern Telegraph Company's Petrograd-Peking line has been restored as far as Irkutsk.

COTTON CLOTH PRICES DOWN.

LONDON, February 9. Messrs. Horrocks have reduced the price of cotton cloths approximately 10 per cent.

COMPANY MEETINGS.

HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN CO., LTD.

A considerable falling off in earnings, due to the world wide trade depression was reported by the Chairman (Mr. D. G. M. Bernard) at the 35th annual meeting of shareholders in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company which took place in the offices of Messrs. Jardine Matheson and Co. at 11 a.m. to-day.

Those present, in addition to Mr. Bernard, were:—The Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang and Messrs. G. M. Dodwell, P. A. Cox, A.S.D. Couland, S. S. Perry, A. David and Q. I. Ellis (directors), W. S. Brown (secretary) and the following shareholders:—Messrs. M. S. Northcote, T. W. Robertson, J. Arnhold, A. W. Heron, C. H. W. Kew, J. Kew, A. G. Ellis, Ho Leung and P. K. Kwok.

The Chairman said:—“Gentlemen, I propose with your approval to follow the customary procedure, and take the Report and Accounts as read.

I regret to say that during the past year there has been a large fall-off in earnings from practically all departments, particularly from storage, lighterwork, and coolies hire. This has been due to the world wide depression in trade and the consequent shrinkage in the volume of cargo passing through Hongkong. In order to reduce expenses, several godowns were closed during the year, the staff reduced, and economies effected in every direction.

The profit on working for the year amounted to \$968,180.07, which is \$263,430.80 less than the previous year.

Your directors are about to recommend the payment of the usual dividend of \$8.00 per share, but did not feel justified in recommending the payment of any bonus this year.

You will have observed from the Report before you that at the suggestion of our Auditors, Depreciation has been debited to Profit and Loss Account instead of being dealt with at the Annual Meeting, as has been the custom hitherto.

After the Secretary had read the notice convening the meeting the Chairman said:

“Gentlemen, I propose with your permission to take the Report and Statement of Accounts as read.”

THE DOLLAR.

To-day's closing rate 2/5 7/8.

To-day's opening rate 2/6 1/8.

GOVERNMENT RETRENCHMENT.

BUSINESS MEN'S REPORT.

GABINET MINISTERS INCORRIGIBLE.

LONDON, February 9. The anxiously awaited report of the Eric Geddes retrenchment committee is being published to-morrow. There has been fierce discussion in the Press of the Government's delay in publication which is attributed to the activities of Cabinet ministers revising committees and whittling down certain recommendations. It is believed they rejected £20,000,000, or one fifth of the suggested saving. The departments most prominently discussed are the fighting services and education department. It is declared that the cuts recommended are respectively £48,000,000 and £18,000,000. The Cabinet is reported to be divided on the subject of the cuts in the fighting services. The exact amounts of savings accepted will not be known till the Estimates appear.

SUMATRA RUBBER COMPANY.

PURCHASING OTHER ESTATES.

LONDON, February 9. The United Sumatran Rubber Plantations proposes to increase its capital by £250,000 with a view to acquiring other Sumatra properties at advantageous terms owing to the slump.

NORTH GERMAN LLOYD.

BIG CAPITAL INCREASE.

BERLIN, February 9. The North German Lloyd Line has resolved to increase its capital by 125 to 600 million marks. The report declared that business prospects are favourable.

IRISH FREE STATE.

COMMONS BILL PROGRESS.

LONDON, February 9. The House of Commons passed the first reading of the Irish Free State Bill. The second reading takes place on February 16.

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SEAMEN'S STRIKE.

DELEGATES COMING.

DECISION BY EMPLOYERS.

PROVISIONAL STAGE REINSTATEMENT.

The Secretary for Chinese Affairs (the Hon. Mr. E. R. Hallifax) said to-day that definite news had been received from Canton, to the effect that the seamen were sending delegates to Hongkong. The personnel of the proposed Board of Arbitration has been decided upon but will probably not be gazetted until the terms of reference are made known.

It was learned this morning that the shipowners held a meeting yesterday afternoon when it was decided that the employers' previous offer (providing for increases ranging from 7½ to 25 per cent pending arbitration) should be again made available but without prejudice to the proposed arbitration. A *China Mail* reporter gathered that it was put forward as a very provisional scale to operate until the arbitration award is known. It is not to be taken as a basis of arbitration.

Many points beside the actual wages question have cropped up during the dispute and it is felt that there are so many variations between the conditions under which the men are employed by the different companies that a fixed or general settlement has decided upon. In practice, some companies give 15 cents and others do not; some grant pensions and others have no such provision. The same applies to the question of providing books, uniforms, a sport to and from shore etc., which will have to be carefully gone into.

In the harbour to-day there were two ships, representing a tonnage of 21,182. Up to noon 1121 coopers had been requisitioned for various jobs.

INTIMIDATION CHARGE.

WITNESS WITH COLD FEET.

A Chinese seaman was charged before Magistrate Wood this morning with intimidation in connection with the strike. The charge was that he attempted to discourage Chinese detective from boarding a steamer in the harbour, and that he used words calculated to cause a breach of the peace.

The detective said that yesterday afternoon he was escorting a silk merchant to the ss. "Chik Kong," which was lying in midstream. They engaged a sampan at the Yung Tai Hing wharf. As they were about to board the sampan the defendant came up and asked the witness where he was going. Defendant's demeanour was violent. The witness replied that he was going out to a steamer and defendant said "Don't you go. Don't you know the situation now? It is not advisable to go. You be careful." The witness asked why he should not go and then seized his man.

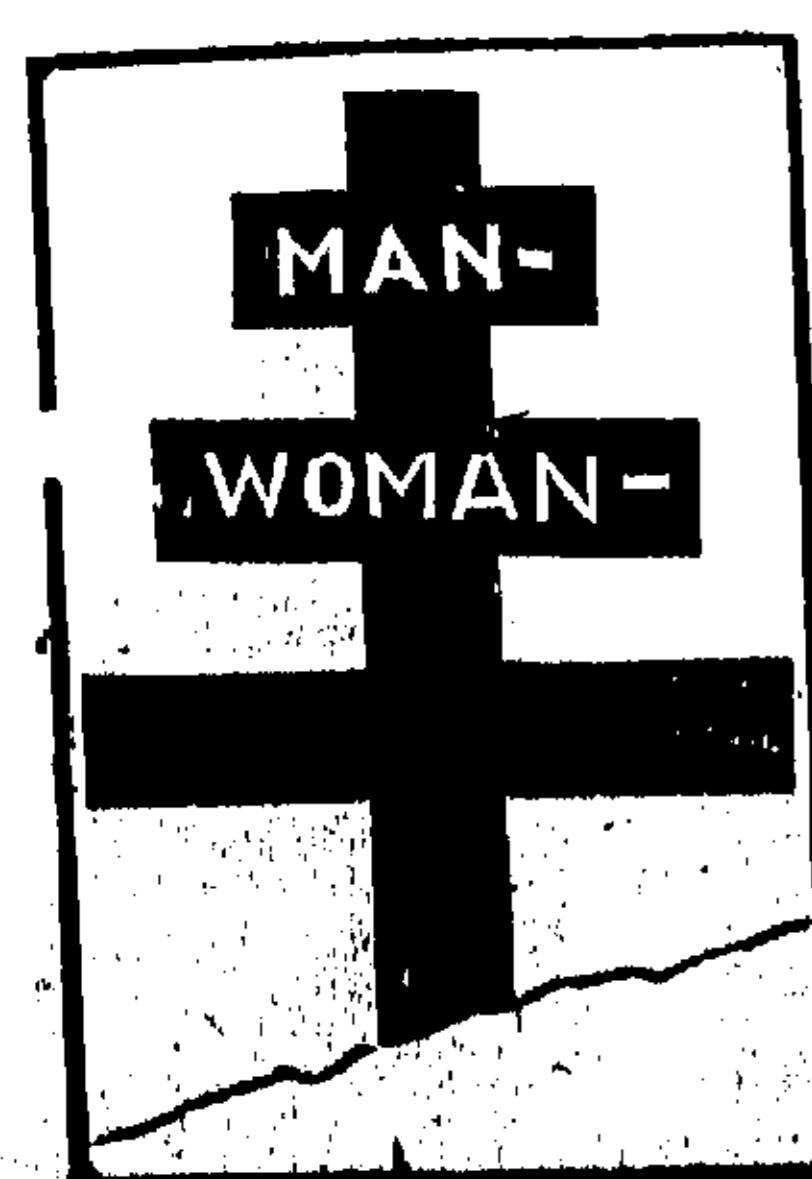
The defendant asserted that the words he used to the detective were: "Don't go yet. When the strike is settled there will be plenty of work." He said nothing about being care'ul.

The detective denied this, and another detective stated that he had tracked the defendant along the Praya westwards for some time as he suspected him of being one of the Union's scutie. He saw the defendant address the first witness and heard him use the words "It is not advisable now. If you go you will be doing wrong." The defendant's demeanour was threatening.

The Magistrate remarked to Inspector Watt that the only words making the defendant liable under the law were "You be careful" and these had not been corroborated.

Inspector Watt said that he had intended to call the silk merchant but the latter got "cold feet" and left for Canton. Undoubtedly he was afraid that he would be assaulted by Union men if he gave evidence.

The Magistrate remanded further hearing until Monday morning and allowed bail in the sum of \$1,000.



TO-NIGHT'S BALL.

CITY HALL PRETTILY DECORATED.

The annual ball of the Institution of Engineers and Shipbuilders takes place at the City Hall to-night. A small army of coolies under the supervision of the members of the Decoration Committee was busy all day transforming the building into a hall of beauty. The decoration outside the building is simple but attractive. First to catch the eye is a huge golden propeller suspended above the entrance. To the right and left, above the entrances to the Gentlemen's and Ladies' Cloak Room, respectively, are two beacon lights which should give a pretty effect at night. Passing through the entrance in the middle, one walks along a gangway flanked with palms and flags into the picturesquely decorated entrance hall. To the right of the hall is the bar, occupying the newspaper files room, while the library, with a profusion of flags and palms, with little tables of flags and palms, with little tables strewed about, had been transformed into a cosy card room. The stairs leading to the dancing halls above are flanked with pot palms decorated with multi-coloured pendants. To the left of the entrance hall is another gangway leading to the Theatre where all the pit, stage and dress circle floor space is taken up by tables for the supper. Going up the stairs, at the top of the landing are the initials "I. E. S." up-parked out with electric bulbs. Opposite it is an eagle with spread wings with the motto "Ubique," below. On the landing also is a pretty model of the "Charlotte Dundas" the first practical steamboat built in Scotland in 1801, the hull of which was laid down in Grangemouth by Alexander Hart, and the engines and boilers built by William Symington. Another interesting model is that of a tram car, built by the Tramway Co. in 1921. The two dance halls are simply but effectively decorated with flags and palms, with semi circular bandstands arranged at the corners where a door communicates the two. The verandahs around the halls are covered with matting and flags, making them pleasant places for sitting out between dances. The whole scheme of decoration is well thought out and carefully executed. It reflects much credit on those responsible for it.

One case of plague and one of small pox, both fatal, were notified yesterday, also one case of cerebro spinal fever, not fatal. All three were Chinese.

The Elderian Line ss. "City of Simla" is due to arrive here at noon to-morrow (Saturday).

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES.

Hongkong cargo per the N.Y.K. steamers "Penang Maru" and "Tokushima Maru" will be landed at Singapore and returned to this port as soon as conditions become normal here.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

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2. Musketry

Part 11 of the Annual Musketry Course will be fired by No. 5 Platoon (Scottish Company) at STONECUTTERS on Sunday, 12th instant, commencing at 10 a.m.

Dress: Drill Order.

Officer for duty: Lieut. T. W. Hill, M.C.

A LAUNCH will leave Murray Pier at 9 a.m.

On Sunday, 19th instant, Part 11 of the Annual Musketry Course will be fired by No. 6 Platoon and the remainder of No. 5 Platoon.

Officer for duty: 2nd Lieut. T.P.M. Bevan, M.C.

Same time and place as on 12th instant.

3. Engineer Company.

The Company will parade at Belchers for practice runs on the Lights at 5.30 p.m. on the following days:-

Thursdays, 9th and 16th February.

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Consignees are therefore recommended to make the necessary arrangements respecting insurance etc. accordingly. The cargo will be returned to Hongkong immediately conditions at this port become normal.

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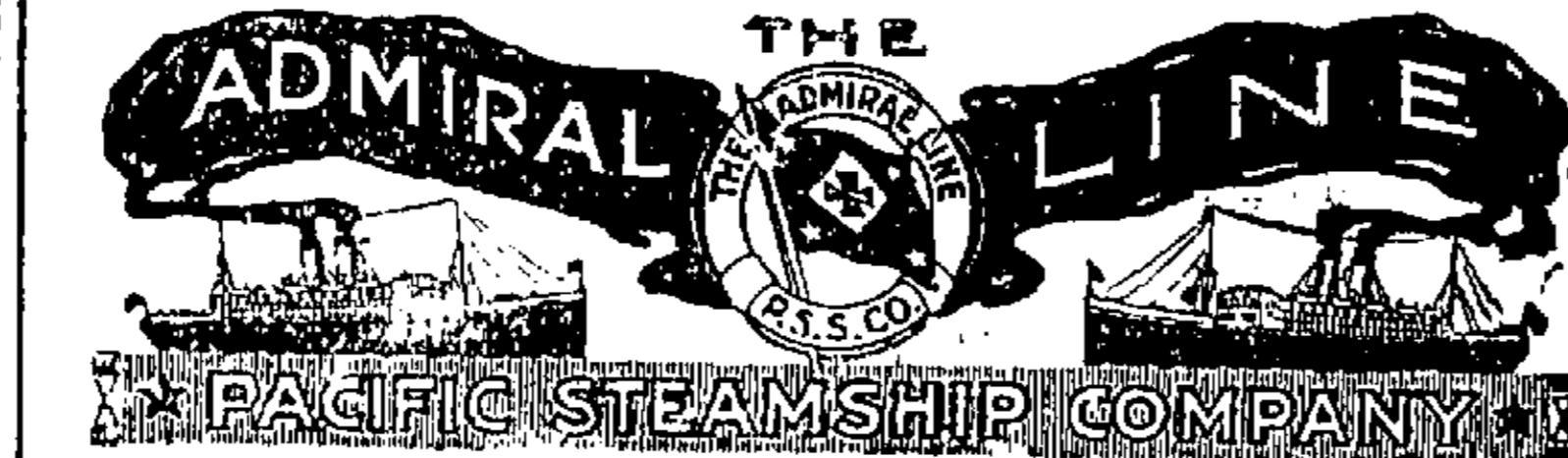
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SPORT.

LEAGUE FOOTBALL.

1ST DIVISION.

SOUTH CHINA v. LIVERPOOL.

At Sookum-poo to-morrow, at 4 p.m. The following players will represent South China for the above football Match:—Lau Wing Cheung, Chan So and Fung Tai, Cheung Wing Sing, Leung Tai Fong and Leung Yuk Tong, Lau Tak Chung, Kwok Po Kwan, Wong Pak Chung, Ip Kau and Chu Kwong Young.

TO-MORROW'S TEAMS.

KOWLOON v. CHINESE.

On the South China ground, first division league match, to-morrow, at 4.15 p.m. the following will represent Kowloon:—Woodman, Wheeler (Capt.) Mason, Coupland, Morrison and A. Duncan; Morley, Hall, Pasco, Thompson and Coomba. Reserve: Millard.

MID-WEEK MATCHES.

The "Curlew" and the "Ambrose" played off their match in the first division of the Hongkong League on Wednesday. A close and exciting match resulted in a narrow win for the "Curlew" by 2 goals to 1.

In connection with the second division of the Hongkong League, the "Curlew" Reserves met the Punjabis on Wednesday and defeated them by seven goals to two. As usual, the Indians played a very sporting losing game and did not relax until the final whistle.

The R.G.A. scored an easy victory over the "Carisie" to the tune of 5 goals to nil when they met on Wednesday in connection with the United Services League. The Sailors played a hard game, but the Gunners' defence was too strong for them, and they could not get through.

CLUB RESERVES v U.A.C.

The following will represent the Club Reserves in their match versus U.A.C. to-morrow at 2.45 p.m. on the U.A.C. Ground:—R. Hauchison, J. Israel, J. MacDonald, R. Sheddon, S. Sorenson, G. Adams, V. Haste, Spradbury, W. Hyde, A. Morrieon, V. Ramsey. Reserve:—R. Duncan.

UNIVERSITY v. SOUTH CHINA "A"

The following will represent the University in the above League Match at 2.45 p.m. to-morrow, on the Kowloon Ground, Happy Valley:—Messrs. Y. K. Wong, S. A. M. Sepher (Captain), Syd Omar, D. Leung J. Guzbar, H. S. Teh, D. K. Samy, S. C. Tung, M. S. Lee, K. S. Cheah, T. L. Cheah; Reserves:—P. H. Lim; B. J. Aw.

CLUB v. CURLEW."

The following will represent the Hongkong Football Club in a league match against "Curlew" to-

morrow on Club Ground at 4.15 p.m.—G. Rodger, W. Gerrard, J. MacPhail (Capt.), A. Weyman, J. Stewart, A. Mair, H. MacTavish, A. Forsyth, S. Begg, W. Kular and E. England.

UNITED v. CLUB.

The following will represent the United in above League Second Division Fixture, to-morrow on the United ground. Kick off 2.30 p.m. Beach, Bradley, Hopper, Watkins, Leonard Urquhart, Hyder, Ross, May, Payne and Clemo.

LEAGUE CRICKET.

CIVIL SERVICE v. R.G.A.

Civil Service 1st XI play R.G.A. to-morrow at 2.15, on C.S. ground. The following will represent the home team:—G. R. Sayer (Captain), E. B. Reid, F. J. Ling, W. H. Edmonds, E. W. Hamilton, F. J. de Rome, C. Witchell, E. C. Fincher, A. E. Wood, H. E. Strange, E. E. Dunkley.

POSITION OF CLUBS.

FIRST DIVISION.

	Matches	Points
K.C.C.	6	14
C.S.C.C.	5	10
R.G.A.	7	10
I.R.C.	7	9
University	5	8
C.R.C.	5	5
C.C.C.	5	1

SECOND DIVISION.

	Matches	Points
K.C.C.	7	14
I.R.C.	6	12
R.A.M.C.	6	9
Police C.C.	7	7
C.R.C.	4	6
C.S.C.C.	6	4

K.C.C. v. UNIVERSITY C.C.

The following have been selected to play against the University C.C. to Kowloon to-morrow at 2.15 p.m.:—A. O. Brown, E. J. Edwards, F. G. Herridge, M. L. Railton, H. Overly, R. E. Lindsell, C. Russell, L. J. Blackburn, E. F. Spinks, F. Evelyn and L. Jack.

K.C.C. v. CRAIGENGOWER C.C.

The following have been selected to play against the Craigengower C.C. to-morrow, at Happy Valley, at 2.15 p.m.—B. D. Evans, J. Stalker, T. M. Cochrane, C. I. Stapleton, E. L. Braga, K. R. Macaskill, C. Dance, F. G. Thompson, C. P. James, F. G. Lawrence and Capt. E. G. Spinks.

CROUP.

EVERY young child is susceptible to Croup. Don't wait until this dreadful disease attacks your little one before you prepare for it. It comes in the night when chemists' shops are usually closed, and then alone should be a warning. Get and keep Chamberlain's Cough Remedy at hand. It never fails to act quickly and is absolutely harmless. For sale by all Chemists and store-keepers.

ODDS AND ENDS.

MAINLY SCISSORS LOOT.

Strange Superstition.

The old superstition that a black cat and a sooty chimney-sweep bring good luck has at least one firm believer in Aldershot. Before proceeding to India the wife of a colonel sent for a chimney-sweep and asked him if he would mind her taking his photograph. Though surprised the man gave his consent, was posed with a black cat at his feet and his soot-bag and brushes beside him, and the picture was secured. After generously rewarding him, the colonel's wife said that the photograph would bring her good luck during her voyage to India.

Smugglers' Shifts.

Here is an example of the cleverness of opium smugglers. Children of the Chinese are fond of wearing a little bellied and spangled cap. On an occasion, some time ago, an Inspector of the Customs was passing a number of boxes of these for importation, when he happened to notice that the tinkle of the little bell in the centre of the cap he was examining sounded rather muffled. He forced it open, and was surprised to find a fair-sized pellet of opium had been substituted for the tiny clapper. The aggregate haul of the drug from the whole lot of caps amounted to little under twelve pounds in weight, worth to the consumer its weight in gold!

A Curious Find.

Finding in a Shetland loch an article like a stone pot, an islander took it to a clergyman interested in antiquarian affairs. It was about 24 inches in circumference, about six inches deep, and had a hard, glazey surface. The clergyman, concluding that the article was an ancient urn, took it to Edinburgh, where it was examined by a well-known antiquary, who was of opinion that instead of being a piece of earthenware, it was the outer portion of the ear of a whale! In order to "make a scar," however, it was submitted to a leading authority, and he has decided that the find is neither an urn nor a bit of mammi, but a nut from the banks of the Amazon!

Climax in a Chapter of Mischance.

A strange chapter of mischance befell a dying woman at Lincoln. The woman, an elderly house-keeper, had tried to take her life by strangulation. A doctor ordered her removal to hospital, and her employer related at the inquest how he tried to get her there:—I ran for the police ambulance, but it had broken down. The St. John ambulance was not available. The woman, an elderly house-keeper, had tried to take her life by strangulation. A doctor ordered her removal to hospital, and her employer related at the inquest how he tried to get her there:—I ran for the police ambulance, but it had broken down. The St. John ambulance was not available.

The couple became engaged a year ago when the boy left school. Full of ambition, he thought that in a few months he would be able to provide a home and support a wife. Months went by, the expected promotion never came, and the prospect of being able to marry seemed farther off than ever.

At length, in despair, they agreed to die together. Two weeks ago the boy bought a quantity of strychnine, but the girl, unwilling to "spoil her parents' Christmas" (as she told the police before she died), insisted on postponing death until after the holiday.

After supper, the young people, when they were left alone, divided the poison equally and swallowed it. Then they sat down to await death. The girl's screams brought her parents into the room, and although the couple were hurried to hospital they died within a few hours.

Staying-out-late Tax.

Life on the Continent is becoming a complicated business. Salzburg has a municipal tax on monocles. New Stuttgart has introduced a staying-out late-at-night tax. The tax is collected by the caretaker who lets the night-bird into his flat (the main doors to big clocks of flats being as in Paris, shut at 10 o'clock) or, if the person liable to the tax has his own house, by the person in authority at the place where the taxable hours have been spent. The municipality of Stuttgart has printed special notes for the payment of this tax. From midnight till 1 o'clock the tax is 5 marks, from 1 till 2, it is 8 marks, and from 2 till 3 it is 10 marks. During the first week of the tax only about a thousand notes found their way back to the municipality, so it does not look as if Stuttgart has hit upon an idea to make herself a millionaire among cities.

SMUGGLERS' FIGHT.

LORRIES DASH THROUGH RAIN OF SHOT.

The village of La Chapelle, near Sedan, has again been the scene of a desperate fight between smugglers and frontier guards.

The Customs officers, having received information that two motor-lorries loaded with tobacco would probably be driven across the frontier near the wooded region round Sedan, sent out a number of armed patrols. Shortly after midnight two lorries dashed across the frontier toward La Chapelle. The guards shouted to the drivers to stop. The lorries, however, continued at full speed down the hill to the main street of the village.

The Customs officers fired at the drivers with revolvers and rifles, but most of the bullets rattled off steel shields, fixed round the drivers' seats. Finally a lucky shot hit the driver of the first lorry, wounding him severely while another damaged his steering gear. The lorry swerved and crashed into a cottage. A man jumped out and, running along the road, made desperate efforts to climb into the second lorry, which was still going at full speed. He missed his footing and, falling under the wheels of the heavy vehicle, was killed.

The Customs officers kept up a heavy fire at the disappearing lorry but were unable to bring it to a stop and had to be content with the one they had captured. It contained more than 3 tons of highly priced tobacco.

LOVERS' FAIR.

DESPAIR AT 18 OF BEING ABLE TO MARRY.

Despairing of ever being able to marry owing to lack of means, Thomas Brands, an 18-year-old clerk, and his sweetheart, of the same age, poisoned themselves at the girl's home in New Jersey.

The couple became engaged a year ago when the boy left school. Full of ambition, he thought that in a few months he would be able to provide a home and support a wife. Months went by, the expected promotion never came, and the prospect of being able to marry seemed farther off than ever.

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FUNERAL.

THE HON. MR. E. H. SHARP.

IMPRESSIVE SCENE.

The funeral of the late Hon. Mr. Ernest Hamilton Sharp, O.B.E., K.C., LL.D., whose death occurred at the Peak Hospital early yesterday morning took place at the Protestant Cemetery, Happy Valley, last evening.

All the civil, naval and military high officials and the leading residents of the Colony were present to pay their last tribute.

The Chaplain of St. John's Cathedral, the Rev. V.H. Copley Moyle, M.A., officiated at the graveside. Prominent officials of Freemasonry attended wearing their regalia.

Amongst those who followed the remains to their last resting place were:—His Excellency the Governor (Sir R. E. Stubbs, K.C.M.G.), His Excellency the General Officer Commanding the Forces in China (Sir John Fowler, K.C.M.G., C.B.), Commodore W. Bowden-Smith, the Chief Justice (Sir William Rees Davies, K.C.), the Prince Judge (Mr. Justice Gompertz), the Hon. Sir Paul Chater, C.M.G., the Vice-Chancellor of Hongkong University (Sir William Bruntyne, K.C.M.G.), the Colonial Secretary (the Hon. Mr. Claud Severn C.M.G.), the Attorney-General (the Hon. Mr. J. H. Kemp, K.C.), the Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock, K.C., the Hon. Mr. Lau Chu-pak, the Hon. Mr. McMeekin, the Hon. Mr. T. L. Perkins, the Hon. Mr. H. W. Bird, the Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang, the Hon. Mr. Chou Chou-son, the Rev. Dr. T. W. Pearce, Sir Ellis Kadoorie, Mr. A. G. M. Fletcher, Mr. S. B. C. Ross, Mr. J. R. Wood, Mr. C. G. Alabaster, Mr. Eldon Potter, Mr. C. D. Melbourne, Mr. F. C. Jenkins, Mr. R. E. Bellios, Mr. Dyer Bell, Capt. Fisher, Mr. G. T. Edkins, Mr. P. L. Knight, Dr. J. H. Sanders, Dr. Kenneth Dixby, Dr. C. W. McKenna, Commander Belkwith, Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, Mr. P. P. J. Wodehouse, Mr. T. H. King, Mr. H. A. Nisbet, Mr. M. J. D. Stephens, Mr. E. J. Grist, Mr. J. Scott Harston, Mr. G. Hastings, Mr. C. A. Hooper, Mr. G. K. Hall, Mr. Bruton, Mr. G. H. Wakeman, Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, Mr. Bulmer Johnson, Mr. D. Steavenson, Mr. H. L. Dennis, Mr. F. X. D'Almada, Mr. E. Davidson, Mr. D. J. Lewis, Mr. W. B. Hind, Mr. T. M. Hazlerig, Mr. C. A. S. Russ, Mr. H. C. Lee, Mr. M. H. Turner, Mr. M. M. Watson, Mr. F. G. Vaux, Mr. R. E. Webster, Mr. H. K. Woo, Mr. M. K. Lo, Mr. M. W. Lo, Mr. H. C. Macrae, Mr. A. H. Crew, Mr. H. K. Hung, Mr. Arculli, Mr. J. M. Hall, Mr. A. E. Hall, Mr. Ho Fook, Mr. A. R. Lowe, Captain Neville, Professor Middleton Smith, Mr. E. Ralphs, Captain T. P. Hall, Mr. F. C. Hall, Mr. F. Smyth, Mr. A. Denison, Mr. E. W. Hamilton, Mr. A. W. Van Andel, Mr. M. S. Northcote, Mr. R. Hancock, Mr. E. Chapman, Mr. H. P. White, Mr. Logan, Mr. R. M. Dyer, Mr. J. S. McCann, Mr. E. A. M. Williams, Mr. B. Hale, Mr. G. P. Lammert, Mr. J. H. Taggart, Mr. J. A. E. Bullock, Mr. F. E. Joseph, Mr. W. A. Dowley, Mr. A. G. Copping, Mr. R. H. Kotewall, Mr. A. B. Suffield and many others.

The District Grand Lodge of Hongkong and South China (of which the late Mr. Sharp was Past Grand Warden) was represented by Wor. Bro. H. Percy Smith, D.G.G.W., Wor. Bro. J. Thomas, D.G.S.W., Wor. Bro. J. Owen Hughes, D.G.J.W., Wor. Bro. W. L. Leak, D.G.T., Wor. Bro. A. Morris, D.G.S., and Wor. Bro. H. A. Cartwright, and Wor. Bro. Holloway, J. C. Owen, and A. E. Crapnell.

There was a large collection of beautiful floral tributes, including those from his wife and children, from H.E. the Governor and Lady Stubbs, the Government of Hongkong, Sir William and Lady Rees Davies, the Hon. Mr. Claud Severn, Sir Paul and Lady Chater, Sir Robert Ho Tung, Hon. Mr. T. L. and Mrs. Perkins, Hon. Mr. Lau Chu-pak, Hon. Mr. Chow Shou-son, His Honour Mr. H. J. Gompertz, Commander C. W. Beckwith, R.N., Lieut. Conway, Officers and Brethren of Perseverance Lodge No. 1165 E.C., Officers and Brethren of Zetland Lodge No. 525 E.C., the D.D.G.M. and Officers of District Grand Lodge of Hongkong and South China, Worshipful Master, Officers and Brethren of Victoria Lodge No. 1026 E.C., Officers and Members of the University Lodge of Hongkong, Officers and Brethren of the United Services Lodge No. 1341, Officers and Brethren of United Chapter No. 1341, Officers and Brethren of Mark Lodge No. 1419 E.C., Rose Croix No. 3 Chapter, The Incorporated Law Society of Hongkong, the Court of the University of Hongkong, Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce, Matilda Hospital, Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, Messrs. Jard

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13.	P. & O.	Angkor.
24.	P. & O.	Sicilia.
19.	P. & O.	Dongola.
21.	P. & O.	Khyber.
July 6.	P. & O.	Sudan.
		Kashmir.
		Karmala.

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Feb. 12.	O.S.K.	Amakusa M.
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Feb. 11.	T.K.K.	Tokyo Maru.
11.	B.F.	Akiperon.
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15.	L.T.	Treia.
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16.	C.M.	Andro Lebon.
22.	B.F.	Nanking.
22.	C.P.S.	Alex.
24.	T.K.K.	Empress of Russia.
25.	O.S.K.	Kore Maru.
25.	P.A.O.	Africa Maru.
25.	P.A.O.	Shillie.
Mar.	C.P.	Devant.
4.	O.S.K.	Hawaii Maru.
5.	B.F.	Mentor.
6.	M.M.	Amboise.
8.	T.K.K.	Shinjo Maru.
9.	P.A.O.	Silver State.
13.	B.F.	Novara.
14.	B.F.	Anches.
15.	B.F.	Hibes.
18.	B.F.	Todus.
23.	B.F.	Tessina.
23.	C.P.S.	Empress of Asia.
24.	V.L.	Prinette State.
26.	P.A.O.	Kalyan.
28.	C.P.S.	Monteagle.
Apr.	4.	T.K.K.
4.	B.F.	Tayo Maru.
6.	C.P.S.	B. Hermon.
9.	P.A.O.	Empress of Japan.
11.	B.F.	Plaza.
16.	B.F.	Lamond.
16.	B.F.	Armenian.
20.	C.P.S.	Empress of Russia.
24.	T.K.K.	Sethna Maru.
25.	P.O.	Douglas.
59.	V.O.	Stellia.
59.	V.O.	Khyber.
19.	P.A.O.	Empress of Asia.
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27.	P.O.	Montague.
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7.	P.A.O.	London.
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21.	P.A.O.	Kashmir.
July 2.	P.O.	Khiva.

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Ap. 10. B.F. Agam Maru.

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Mar. 14. B.F. An Liens.

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Feb. 10. H.E.A.L. Radja.

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11. N.V.K. Kinryus.

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20. C.M. Nanking.

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G. Ito, Co. Ltd., 5, Queen's Road
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General Storekeepers, Wine & Cigar
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